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UPDATE

SUFFOLK, Virginia (December 8, 2010) Jones was treated and released from Sentara Norfolk General Hospital.

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SUFFOLK, Virginia (December 8, 2010) Police advise that a driver distracted by the radio was the cause of this morning's accident on Holland Road. Deloris A. Jones, age 48, of Chesapeake, was charged with one count of reckless driving in the single vehicle accident that sent her and a passenger to area hospitals.

Jones was traveling westbound on Holland Road in a 2002 Ford Mustang, when she became distracted by the radio and ran off the road to the left. Jones then overcorrected and struck the ditch and median. The vehicle rolled twice before coming to rest on its roof. The vehicle sustained approximately \$10,000 in damage.

Jones was transported to Sentara Norfolk General Hospital via Nightingale. Her condition is currently unavailable. The passenger, Glenn Conner, was ground transported to Sentara Obici Hospital. He remains in triage so no condition has been assigned. Officer J. D. Sober is the investigating officer.

FIRE AND RESCUE CREWS FREE OCCUPANTS FROM OVERTURNED VEHICLE

SUFFOLK, Virginia (December 8, 2010) Suffolk Fire and Rescue personnel extracated two injured people from a vehicle that overturned on Holland Road at Longstreet Lane this morning. The single vehicle accident was reported just before 9 a.m.

Fire and Rescue personnel arriving on scene found a Ford Mustang overturned in the median. The vehicle's roof was severely caved in. The vehicle's two occupants were pinned. Crews worked for approximately twenty minutes to free the two occupants. One person was transported via Nightingale to Sentara Norfolk General Hospital. The second person was taken by ambulance to Sentara Obici Hospital.

One westbound and both eastbound lanes were closed while emergency crews worked. All lanes were reopened by 9:53 a.m.

The cause of the accident is under investigation. Information on charges is not yet available.

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